

# THE CALIFORNIA VALLEY MIWOK

## STATEMENT OF FACTS

On August 5, 1998, authority was granted to all adult members to organize the Tribe. At that time, the adult members consisted of Silvia Burley, Rashel Reznor and Yakima Dixie. Mr. Dixie has since departed from the Tribe in pursuit of a fictitious casino deal with individuals of questionable character and criminal history, including but not limited to: murder, sexual assault, drug possession, burglary, assault and various other felonious and civil infractions.

The California Valley Miwok Tribe is a federally recognized tribe as acknowledged in the Federal Register which has immunities and privileges available to it by virtue of its government to government relationship with the United States.

The Tribe is aware that various individuals again, as in the past, are representing themselves as members of the Tribe and/or representing themselves as governing agents of the Tribe. In the case of Mr. Dixie, he is a former tribal member that is no longer associated with the Tribe and therefore has no authority or benefit status and cannot make representation or incur debt on behalf of the Tribe or enter into any agreements or contracts on behalf of the Tribe.

Ms. Velma Whitebear is not an enrolled member of the Tribe. Her status and eligibility for membership has not been established because she has not sought enrollment into the Tribe by completing an enrollment application. She does not have the authority to incur debt on behalf of the Tribe or enter into any agreements or contracts on behalf of the Tribe either prior to, or as of this date.

Mr. Chadd Everone/Ludwig is a non-Indian. He is not an enrolled member of the Tribe, nor is he entitled to membership in the Tribe. Mr. Chadd Everone/Ludwig does not have the authority to incur any debt on behalf of the Tribe or to enter into any agreements or contracts on behalf of the Tribe either prior to, or as of this date.

There are currently no recognized tribal members living in or contracting or conducting tribal business in or around Calaveras County. Therefore in no way does the California Valley Miwok Tribe forfeit any sovereign immunities as they relate to agreements, contracts, services or representations by the individuals listed or others that currently may or in the future make such representations.

For more information please contact the California Valley Miwok Tribe at 209 931 4567 or visit us at <http://www.californiavalleymiwoktribe-nsn.gov>.